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This report contains the results from the **Weekly Broiler Hatchery Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at https://www.nass.usda.gov/la and in a more detailed report at https://www.nass.usda.gov/. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set Down 6 Percent from Last Year

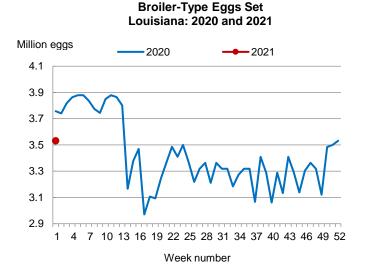
Louisiana hatcheries set 3.53 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending January 2, 2021, down 6 percent from the comparable week in 2020 but unchanged from the previous week.

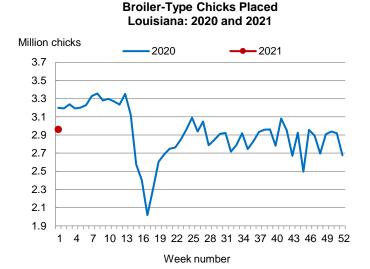
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 236 million eggs in incubators during the week ending January 2, 2021, down slightly from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Down 7 Percent

Louisiana broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 2.96 million chicks during the week ending January 2, 2021, down 7 percent from the comparable week in 2020 but up 11 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 188 million chicks for meat production during the week ending January 2, 2021, down 1 percent from a year ago.





Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2020 and 2021

	Week ending							
State	November 28,	December 5,	December 12,	December 19,	December 26,	January 2,		
	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2021		
	(1,000 eggs)							
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi	33,328	32,647	32,748	33,476	33,116	33,380		
	24,073	23,853	23,479	23,401	23,978	24,300		
	4,546	4,546	4,669	4,620	4,546	4,669		
	1,212	1,209	1,209	1,209	1,209	1,209		
	35,641	32,966	34,541	34,925	34,161	34,450		
	8,326	6,827	7,684	7,838	7,889	7,589		
	3,319	3,122	3,485	3,500	3,532	3,532		
	7,638	7,544	7,631	7,622	7,636	7,639		
	17,149	17,330	17,701	17,648	17,532	17,519		
Missouri North Carolina	9,168	9,094	9,163	9,183	9,198	9,227		
	23,386	23,689	24,406	24,511	24,145	23,901		
Oklahoma Pennsylvania South Carolina	6,949	6,507	6,737	7,153	6,936	7,068		
	6,292	6,290	6,319	6,319	6,124	6,293		
	5,631	5,580	5,530	5,848	5,686	5,675		
Texas	18,949	17,418	18,330	18,317	18,062	18,280		
Virginia	6,967	6,136	6,491	6,383	6,415	6,522		
CA, TN & WV	13,967	11,041	13,085	13,229	13,183	13,152		
Other States	11,717	11,335	11,948	12,084	11,904	11,820		
United States	238,258	227,134	235,156	237,266	235,252	236,225		
Percent of previous year	100	97	99	99	99	100		

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2020 and 2021

 	Week ending							
State	November 28, 2020	December 5, 2020	December 12, 2020	December 19, 2020	December 26, 2020	January 2, 2021		
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)		
Alabama	22,469	23,719	23,915	24,285	23,317	24,134		
Arkansas	21,647	21,038	21,847	22,137	22,115	20,649		
Delaware	4,501	4,889	4,579	4,773	4,453	4,602		
Florida	1,335	1,328	1,258	1,332	1,291	1,182		
Georgia	25,140	26,236	26,899	27,391	25,091	27,059		
Kentucky	6,013	6,262	6,442	5,987	5,479	6,369		
Louisiana	2,696	2,907	2,938	2,920	2,677	2,961		
Maryland	5,348	5,718	5,552	5,588	5,903	5,338		
Mississippi	14,693	14,829	14,798	14,539	14,794	14,967		
Missouri	5,295	6,074	5,686	6,214	5,516	5,921		
North Carolina	19,618	20,059	20,003	19,258	19,378	19,704		
Oklahoma	4,261	4,402	4,299	3,299	4,096	4,880		
Pennsylvania	4,777	4,768	4,768	4,767	4,760	4,771		
South Carolina	4,633	5,480	4,738	5,402	5,829	5,127		
Texas	13,676	14,313	14,715	15,358	14,083	14,687		
Virginia	5,625	5,027	6,125	6,154	4,874	5,698		
CA, TN, and WV	10,214	11,320	10,907	11,888	10,363	10,557		
Other States	8,535	9,490	9,139	9,386	9,060	9,584		
United States Percent of previous year	180,476 98	187,859 99	188,608 100	190,678 100	183,079 97	188,190 99		